

**Town of Mocksville
Regular Board Meeting
October 6, 2020**

The Town of Mocksville Board of Commissioners met for the Regular Board Meeting on Tuesday, October 6, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the Mocksville Town Hall located at 171 S. Clement Street, Mocksville, NC.

Present:

Commissioners Present:

Mayor, Will Marklin
Amy Vaughan-Jones
Justin Draughn
Brian Williams
Eric Southern

Absent: Rob Taylor

Others Present:

Lynn Trivette, Interim Town Manager
Emily Quance, Deputy Town Clerk
Pat Reagan, Police Chief
Al Benschhoff, Town Attorney

Mayor Marklin called the meeting to order welcoming everyone in attendance.

The Town of Mocksville Board paused for a moment of silence.

Mayor Marklin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Adoption of Agenda

A motion was made by Commissioner Williams to adopt the agenda as written. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn which carried by a unanimous vote 4-0.

Citizen Comments

Mayor reads; Under GS section 160A-81.1, the Board shall provide one period for public comment per month. Public comments are a valued part of the Board meeting but we also have to handle monthly business items. If your public comment is not heard this month we provide the same opportunity at each month's Board meeting. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes per comment. The Mayor asks that groups appoint spokespersons for groups supporting the same position, especially when the number of people wishing to attend the meeting exceeds the capacity of Town Hall. When the comments become repetitive and no longer provide new information then discussion for this meeting may be stopped. As a reminder, the comment period is not a question and answer session. As always, the Mayor shall provide for the maintenance of order and decorum in the conduct of the comment period.

Alice Brown addressed the Board to thank Chief Reagan for his service to the community and to announce that Sunday at 2pm there will be a prayer vigil sponsored by the NAACP. This is a vigil for our nation, our leaders, for the election. It will be at the Main Street Park and masks are required.

Justin Vocke addressed the Board. He asked that when we move the meeting to Town Hall, where there is not enough room for people to come in, to please make it available on the website so people can watch.

Communications from Boards, Commissions and Agencies

Award of Service Weapon and Badge to Retired Mocksville Police Captain Joey Reynolds.

In November of 2017, The Board adopted a policy to award the service weapon and badge to retiring police officers. In part it reads, "Pursuant to N.C. General Statute 20-187.2, it shall be the policy of the Town of Mocksville to award the badge of office to any duly authorized law enforcement officer upon his/her service retirement under the provisions of the NC Local Government Employee Retirement System or disability retirement at no cost to the retiring officer."

A motion was made by Commissioner Southern to declare the service weapon and badge for Mocksville Police Captain Joey Reynolds as surplus equipment and to award them to Captain Joey Reynolds on behalf of his retirement. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn which carried by a unanimous vote 4-0.

Republic Services Presentation, Municipal Sales Manager, Anthony Kransienko

Mr. Kransienko gave a presentation and presented a renewal agreement. The presentation covered why the Town's programs are changing and why recycling is unsustainable today, plunging commodity prices. A recommended business model that included a proposal analysis for Mocksville was presented. The current rate is \$11.15. The new rates proposed are \$14.51 without recycling and \$15.40 with recycling. No action taken at this time.

Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Commissioner Southern to adopt the consent agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn which carried by a unanimous vote of 4-0. Items approved were: (A) September 1, 2020 Regular Board Meeting Minutes (B) September 8, 2020 Joint Special Meeting Minutes (C) September 23, 2020 Special Meeting-Closed Session Minutes (D) Monthly Financials (E) Tax Releases.

Consider the Resolution to Decommission the Lagle Water Treatment Plant and Purchase Potable Water from Davie County

A motion was made by Commissioner Williams to adopt the resolution to decommission the Lagle water treatment plant and purchase potable water from Davie County. Two public water study joint meetings were held discussing the options that were best for the Town and County. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn, which carried a vote of 3-1 with Commissioner Vaughan-Jones voting against.

Commissioner Vaughan-Jones noted she agrees with proceeding with the resolution but wanted the public to address their opinions first.

Communication from Town Staff

Town Attorney: none

Interim Town Manager: none

Communication from Mayor and Town Board

None

A motion was made by Commissioner Southern to enter into close session. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn and approved by a unanimous vote 4-0.

A motion was made by Commissioner Williams to re-enter into open session. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Southern and approved by a unanimous vote 4-0.

Adjourn

A motion was made by Commissioner Williams to adjourn the October 6, 2020 Regular Board Meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Draughn which carried by a unanimous vote 4-0.

The attached documents are incorporated herewith and are hereby made a part of these minutes.

William J. Marklin, Mayor

Emily Quance, Deputy Town Clerk